Downtown Sector Future Land Use

Sector Land Use Policies

- Promote commercial and multifamily development within the Downtown Mixed-Use Growth Center.
- Facilitate higher density transit-oriented development (TOD) around the Intermodal Transportation Center and T&P Terminal commuter rail stations and along future modern streetcar corridors.
- 3. Promote the development of a fixed-rail transit system linking Downtown to other growth centers and urban villages.
- Encourage mid-rise or high-rise development for the central core area bounded by Henderson Street, Lancaster Avenue, BNSF railroad, and Belknap Street.
- 5. Encourage specialty retail between Throckmorton Street and Commerce Street, from 2nd Street to 8th Street.
- 6. Encourage mid-rise, up to 8 stories, mixed-use development along West 7th Street and West Lancaster Avenue.
- Encourage low-rise to mid-rise office, mixed-use, and urban residential development throughout the remainder of the Downtown Sector.
- Increase the number and quality of public spaces (i.e. plazas, parks, enhanced streetscapes).
- 9. Implement appropriate recommendations of the Downtown Strategic Plan, Lancaster Redevelopment Plan, and the Intermodal Transportation Center (ITC) Study.
- 10. Encourage installation of wide sidewalks and street trees between new residential districts and the central core.
- 11. Promote pedestrian and bicycle connectivity between Downtown, Panther Island, the Near Southside, the West Seventh Urban Village, and the Trinity Trails.
- Encourage urban residential development in appropriate locations to create more walkable, pedestrian-oriented neighborhoods.
- 13. Attract and expand educational institutions.
- Promote preservation of the historic residential character of the Sunset Terrace neighborhood.
 - (T) Existing and Potential Transit Stations
 - **Existing Commuter Rail Line**
 - TEX Rail Line
 - Other Recommended Passenger Rail Line

"A comprehensive plan shall not constitute zoning regulations or establish zoning district boundaries." Texas Local Government Code, Section 219.005.

